

ELECTRONIC FILING

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: : Masatoshi Imai
:
Application No. : 10/072,506
:
Filing Date : February 5, 2002
:
For : SORT PROCESSING METHOD AND SORT
: PROCESSING APPARATUS

Examiner : Cam Linh T. Nguyen
:
Art Unit : 2161
:
Confirmation No. : 2876
:
Docket No.: : SONY-59227
Customer No. : 24201

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 4, 2007, please amend the above identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Presented below is a complete set of claims with current status indicators. Claims 1 and 4 have been amended. Please enter the amended claims 1 and 4.